

westernArkansas
BALLET
 2026-2027

Academy Class Schedule

Monday

Studio A

Ballet III 4:15-5:45
 Int./Adv. Pointe 6:00-7:15
 Beg. Adult Ballet 7:30-8:30

Studio B

Ballet V/VI 4:15-5:45
 Beg. Pointe 6:00-7:15
 Adv. Modern 7:30-8:30

Studio C

Ballet I 4:15-5:15
 Creative Mvmt. 5:30-6:15
 Adult Tap 6:30-7:15

Tuesday

Studio A

Cardio Workout 4:15-5:00
 Company Class 5:15-6:45
 Company Rehearsal 7:00-9:00

Studio B

Ballet II 4:15-5:30
 Ballet I 5:45-6:45

Studio C

Creative Mvmt. 4:15-5:00
 Tap I 5:00-5:30
 Tap II 5:45-6:30
 Hip Hop 6:45-7:30

Wednesday

Studio A

Pre-Pointe 4:15-4:45
 Ballet III 5:00-6:30
 Adv. Pointe 6:30-8:00
 Adv. Jazz 8:00-9:00

Studio B

Ballet IV 4:45-6:15
 Int. Pointe 6:30-8:00
 Int. Adult Ballet 8:00-9:00

Studio C

Tap III 4:15-5:15
 Ballet II 5:30-6:45
 Beginning Jazz 6:45-7:45

Thursday

Studio A

Ballet V/VI 4:15-5:45
 Ballet Partnering 5:45-6:45
 Company Rehearsal 7:00-9:00

Studio B

Int. Modern 4:15-5:15
 Beg. Modern 5:45-6:45
 WAB II Rehearsal 7:00-8:00

Studio C

Int. Jazz 4:15-5:15
 Ballet IV 5:15-6:45

Friday

Studio A

Studio B

Studio C

Dance with Me 10:30-11:00

Saturday

Studio A

WAB Co Class 10:00-11:45

Studio B

WAB II Co Class 10:00-11:30

Studio C



Register Here



Scholarship Information

2026-2027 Academy Calendar

June

4 Company Meeting 6pm
 8-11 Jazz Camp
 8-12 Elevé Dance Workshop
 15-19 Rhinestone Roundup & Fairy Princess Ballet Camps
 20-21 Junior Tennis Tournaments

July

27-31 Nutcracker Ballet Camp

August

5 WAB Company Class Begin
 5-8 Guest Choreography
 10-14 WAB Company Classes & Choreography
 13 Academy Open House 4:30-6:30, Guild Meeting 6:30
 17-21 WAB Class & Choreography
 17-21 WAB II Classes Begin & Choreography
 22 or 23 Dancewear Pop-up Shop-Location TBD
 24-28 WAB Company Classes & Choreography
 24-28 WAB II Classes Choreography
 31-9/1 WAB Class & Choreography
 31-9/1 WAB II Classes & Hair/Makeup Sessions

September

1 WAB & WAB II Classes
 2 WAB/WAB II Pictures 5:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.
 8 Academy Classes Begin
 26 The Nutcracker & Spring Ballet Auditions

October

5-8 Bring a Friend to Class week
 10 *Fall Ballet at VBFAC 3 p.m. & 7 p.m.
 15 Company Parent Meeting 6:45 p.m.
 15-11/12 Guild/Company Poinsettia Sales
 17 Nutcracker rehearsals begin

November

2-14 Parent Observation Weeks (2 wks)
 12 Guild/Company Poinsettia Sales End
 15 Nutcracker Pictures (tentatively)
 21 Sugar Plum Fairy Tea Set-up
 22 Sugar Plum Fairy Tea Fundraiser
 23-29 Closed for Thanksgiving Break

December

5 Guild/ Company Poinsettia Delivery
 15-18 The Nutcracker Rehearsals ArcBest PAC
 17 The Nutcracker School Performances (Thurs) ArcBest PAC
 19 The Nutcracker Performance 7:00 p.m. ArcBest PAC
 20 The Nutcracker Performance 2:00 p.m. ArcBest PAC
 21-1/3 Closed for Christmas Break

January

4 Academy classes resume
 16 Spring Ballet Rehearsals Begin

February

4 Company Parent Meeting (RDA) 6:45 p.m.
 TBA RDA Adjudication

March

7 Alice in Wonderland Tea Party
 18-20 RDA/SW Festival Monroe, LA
 22-26 Spring Break
 30-4/2 Alice in Wonderland Rehearsals -VBFAC

April

3/30-2 Spring Ballet Rehearsals -VBFAC
 3 Alice in Wonderland Performance 7:00 p.m. -VBFAC
 4 Alice in Wonderland Performance 2:00 p.m. -VBFAC
 TBD Academy Spring Pictures (All Academy)

May

1 or 2 Dance Fusion
 6 Company Prospective Meeting 7:00 p.m.
 20 Last Day of Academy classes
 21 Spring Dance Concert Rehearsal-VBFAC
 22 Spring Dance Concert Performances-VBFAC
 24 WAB II Company Auditions
 25 WAB Company Auditions

June

7-9 Lorraine Cranford Summer Dance Workshop
 7-11 Elevé Dance Workshop
 14-18 Summer Dance Camps (ages 4-9)
 TBA WAB & WAB II Company Meeting 6:00 p.m.

July

26-30 Nutcracker Ballet Camp

Holidays

The Academy of Western Arkansas Ballet will observe the Fort Smith Public Schools calendar for **Thanksgiving, Christmas and Spring Break schedules ONLY**. Notification of weather-related closures will be made via email and text as well as posted on our voicemail, website, Facebook and Instagram. Make-ups are available during other class times of the same level (Example: Ballet III Monday class may be made up during the Ballet III class offered on Wednesdays). If another class is not available for the level, a make-up will be scheduled with notification provided at the next class.

***Please note that some classes may be rescheduled or cancelled the week of Dec. 15-18, 2026, and March 30-April 2, 2027 due to productions and festivals.**